

ABSTRACT

A method of assembling and storing a portable stand for a fire extinguisher having a case, a pylon and a base. The 5 case has a rear wall and a bottom wall. The pylon has a front surface, an open bottom with an outer flange and a top that is narrower than the outer flange. In addition, the base is generally rectangular and has a central opening in its upper and lower surfaces. The assembly method involves 10 inserting the top of the pylon upwardly through the central opening until the outer flange engages the base, mounting the case onto the front surface of the pylon and positioning the fire extinguisher inside the case such that it rests on the bottom wall. The storage method comprises detaching the case 15 from the pylon of each stand, separating the pylon and the base of each stand, stacking the pylons and stacking the bases.